

# **Specification Guide JOMY® Retractable Ladder**

This section is based on products distributed by JOMY®, Inc., at the following address: P.O. Box 577 Louisville, CO 80027

The JOMY® Retractable Ladder is intended for emergency exit or rescue or for mechanical equipment access. Looking like an ordinary drainpipe when closed, a quarter turn of a handle deploys a 2-foot-wide industrial strength ladder with slip-resistant rungs and a safety rail. A JOMY® balcony is available to supplement access to the ladder where required.

## PART 1. GENERAL

## 1.1. SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Retractable exit ladders for use as supplemental escape devices.
- B. Retractable ladder devices to provide access to mechanical equipment.

#### 1.2 REFERENCES

- A. Evaluation Reports; Building Officials and Code Administrators International, Inc. (BOCA).
- B. Evaluation Reports; International Conference of Building Officals (ICBO).
- C. Uniform Building Code; International Conference of Building Officials (ICBO).
- D. Uniform Fire Code; International Conference of Building Officials (ICBO).
- E. Uniform Mechanical Code; International Conference of Building Officials (ICBO).
- F. Uniform Building Code Standards; International Conference of Building Officials (ICBO).

### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit under provisions of Section 01300.
- B. Product Data: Provide manu-facturer's standard details and catalog data demonstrating compliance with referenced standards. Provide installation instructions.
- C. Shop Drawings: Submit drawings showing overall height of ladders, and location of deployment handles in relation to floor elevations, window sills and railings.
- D. Warranty: Submit manufacturer's standard warranty.

# 1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE, HANDLING

A. Store products indoors and protect from moisture, construction traffic, and damage.

# 1.5 WARRANTY

A. Manufacturer's standard warranty against defects in materials and workmanship; 10 year period.

# **PART 2. PRODUCTS**

# 2.1 MANUFACTURER

A. Provide products fabricated by JOMY®, Inc., P.O. Box 577

Louisville, CO 80027. Tel: (877) 303-5888 Tel: (720) 304-6001 Fax: (720) 304-6007

### 2.2 MATERIALS

A. Stiles: Extruded Aluminum, 6063-T6 alloy.

B. Rungs: Extruded aluminum, 6005-T5 alloy and 6005-T6 alloy.

C. Brackets: 6063-T6 aluminum alloy.

D. Pivot pins, Springs, Masonry Bolts, Fasteners and Base Plate: Stainless Steel

#### 2.3 LADDERS

A. General:

- 1. Retractable ladder with deployment handles at each point of access; stainless steel counterbalance springs; requiring less than five pounds of force to deploy.
- 2. Maintenance-free, aluminum and stainless steel construction.
- 3. Support 1,000 lbs. per rung individually; 200 lbs per 6 feet of length simultaneously.
- 4. Ground support of gravity loads; building wall support for lateral stability.
- 5. Provide deployment handle at each desired access level.
- B. Provide dual safety rails at ladders with access from both sides.
- C. Provide reinforcement channel where ladders extend beyond wall support, such as at parapets and roof tops, or where ladder spans open areas in excess of 7 feet between attachment points.
- D. Shop fabricate and assemble to maximum extent practicable for installation on-site with minimal labor.

### 2.4. ACCESSORIES

- A. Provide brackets, spacers, etc., necessary for a complete installation.
- B. Provide removable deployment handle at lower access point; provide locking hub and padlock.
- C. Contractor to provide fasteners for securement to wood construction: Stainless steel lag bolts; 3/8-inch diameter, 4-inch minimum embedment.
- D. Contractor to provide fasteners for securement to steel construction: Stainless steel bolts, nuts, and washers; 3/8-inch diameter.

#### 2.5 FINISHES

- A. Aluminum: Clear anodized.
- B. Manufacturer's standard shop-applied enamel.
- 1. Color: As selected from manufacturer's standards.
- 2. Color: Match paint sample supplied by architect.

## PART 3. EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

A. Verify that wall surfaces to receive units are complete and approved prior to installing work of this section.

### 3.2 INSTALLATION

A. Install components in strict compliance with manufacturer's instructions.

### 3.3 ADJUST AND CLEAN

A. Remove debris; leave project site in clean and orderly condition.